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## CAPTAIN GARNER REPORTS TO HEADQUARTERS

Captain George I. Garner has relieved Captain Harold R. Cotton as Deputy Chief, Office of Reserve. Captain Cotton left Coast Guard Headquarters to report to Miami as Chief, Reserve Division in the Seventh Coast Guard District.

Born near Wichita Falls, Texas, Captain Garner graduated from Wichita Falls High School and attended the University of Texas. He received an LL.B Degree from the Somerville (Dallas) Law School in 1934. After admittance to the Bar, he entered private practice and served as Chief Deputy Clerk of State District Courts in Texas for four years. Later, he practiced privately and with a law firm in Houston.

He entered the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve with a commission as ensign during World War II and began his first active duty tour in the Vessel and Personnel Procurement Section at the Eighth Coast Guard District Office in New Orleans. Subsequently in 1942 and 1943, he served on anti-submarine patrol duty as commanding officer of an 83-foot patrol boat on the Gulf of Mexico Sea Frontier. During the latter part of that period he commanded the Cutter GEROMIO, a converted yacht of the Coast Guard-Navy Anti-Submarine Patrol Escort Fleet in the Atlantic-Gulf-Caribbean area. He attended PF School at St. Augustine, Florida, and later Submarine Chaser Training Cen-



ter at Miami, Florida.

From May 1944 until the end of the war, he was executive officer and later commanding officer of the Cutter ARIADNE in the Western Sea Frontier, and, after the war, on air-sea rescue duty out of Miami and Key West, Florida. He was a lieutenant when released from active duty in February 1946, following the close of the war and resumed his law and business career.

Recalled to active duty in November 1950, Captain Garner served as executive officer and staff legal officer at the Coast Guard Captain of the Port in Houston. He was designated a law specialist by the Commandant of the Coast Guard in June 1951. From October 1951 to September 1953, he commanded the Coast Guard Port Security Unit in Houston. Transferred to New York City, he served there first as investigating officer at the Coast Guard Marine Inspection Office until March 1954. See CAPT GARNER on page 3

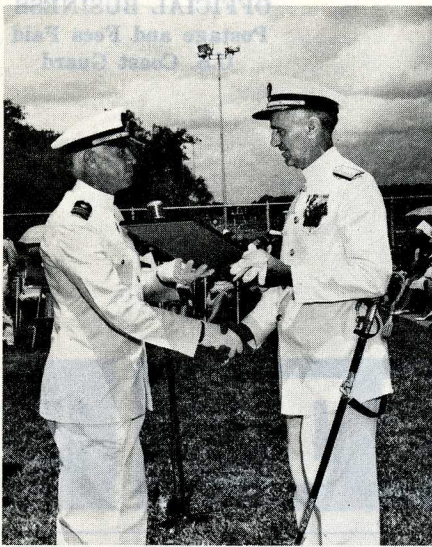
## New Correspondence Course Manual Designed

To assist Educational Services Officers in the task of guiding off-duty correspondence programs for officers and enlisted personnel, the Coast Guard Institute has designed the Coast Guard Correspondence Course Manual 1967. Included in this publication is detailed information on all phases of Institute operations and general information of interest to all Coast Guard personnel. Announcements of new or revised courses will be made by changes to this publication. The new manual supersedes the Education Officer's Manual 1965 and was effective on 15 July 1967.

In his message at the beginning of the manual, Admiral Smith indicates that the Coast Guard cannot afford to send all personnel to school to learn each trade nor can it rely upon on-the-job training to impart all knowledge and skills. The gap in learning must be filled through self-study. Your Coast Guard Institute assists the self-study program by providing correspondence courses to train personnel in occupational skills, educate them in the fundamentals of higher positions and measure their attained knowledge. The Coast Guard Correspondence Course Manual acquaints Coast Guard personnel with the activities of the Coast Guard Institute, its correspondence course offerings, evaluation standards, and enrollment procedures.

The Institute Division of the Coast Guard Training Center at Groton, Connecticut, has been relocated at the FAA Aeronautical Center in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, as a separate command responsible for the development and administration of correspondence courses.





LDCR Wade H. Carruth receives the citation for a Coast Guard Commendation Medal from RADM James D. Craik, retiring Commander of the Eighth Coast Guard District.

## Two Reserve Officers Honored

Commander John W. Fisk, USCGR, and Lieutenant Commander Wade H. Carruth were honored during the Eighth Coast Guard District's change of command ceremonies.

CDR Fisk, a well-known local businessman, received a letter of appreciation from Admiral Craik for early work in establishing the Coast Guard Reserve training program in the New Orleans area. He was also credited for outstanding effort in fostering good relations between the Coast Guard and the local community.

LDCR Carruth was singled for contributions, throughout his career, to the Coast Guard Reserve training program in the Eighth Coast Guard District. In receiving the Coast Guard Commendation Medal, he was lauded for outstanding leadership that contributed to ORTUPS (O) 08-82570, San Antonio, Texas, winning the Gordon Canfield trophy for the best Reserve unit in the Coast Guard. It won the award for two consecutive years, an achievement which is unprecedented in the history of the trophy.



PROPER FIT—Uniforms must be made according to regulations. Avoid tailor-mades that are so form-fitting that you will soon grow out of them. Cloth should fall straight. Keep them neatly pressed.

## Coast Guard Academy Appointments

Eligible Reservists are reminded of the excellent opportunities available to them through the United States Coast Guard Academy. In addition, many members of the Reserve undoubtedly have friends and relatives who are commencing their senior year in high school and are investigating educational and career opportunities.

It is felt that members of the Reserve would like to insure that such persons are aware of the excellent educational and worthwhile career opportunities available through the United States Coast Guard Academy.

Appointments as Cadet, U.S. Coast Guard are made on the basis of an annual nationwide competition. There are no congressional or geographical quotas.

Applicants must be single high school graduates between the ages of 17 and 22. They must meet strict physical standards.

The factors utilized in the competition are college Entrance Examination Board test scores, standing in high school class and adaptability. The next competition for appointment as Cadet, United States Coast Guard will commence with the 2 December 1967 administration of the College Entrance Examination Board tests. Applications for the tests should be submitted to the Educational Testing Service prior to 28 October 1967.

Persons interested in applying should write to the Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut 06320, to request a copy of the Coast Guard Academy Bulletin of Information, (CG-147). This booklet contains detailed information about the Academy, necessary Coast Guard application forms and instructions for applying for the College Entrance Examination Board tests.

## SERVICEWIDE EXAMINATIONS

How many of you will be able to participate in the servicewide examinations in October because you have not met the requirements? Reservists who are planning to take examinations in April—have you started your correspondence course? Now is a good time to start planning ahead for the April examinations.

Commandant Notice 1418, dated 29

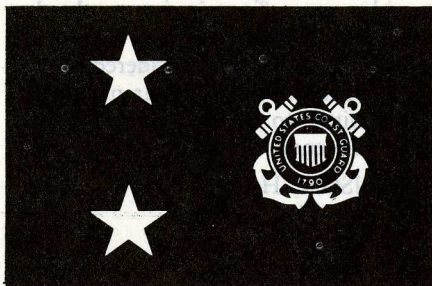
June 1967, states that, prior to having his name entered on Form CG-3551, each applicant must:

1. Be recommended for advancement or change in rate of the commanding officer.
2. Demonstrate proficiency in required practical factors (see Section 6-3-6B and Section 6-3-11 of the Administrative Manual for the Coast Guard Reserve, CG-296).
3. Complete required correspondence course (see Section 6-3-3 of CG-296).
4. Complete active duty for training in pay grade requirements (see Appendix C of CG-296).
5. For advancement to pay grade E-7, have a current (not over 2 years old) recommendation for advancement from the commanding officer of a Regular Coast Guard operating unit.
6. Be able to fulfill time in grade requirements of Appendix C of CG-296 prior to 1 January for October examination and 1 July for the April examination.
7. Be medically fit for duty (not have an incapacitating illness or injury).
8. Not be awaiting disciplinary action, undergoing punishment or be under sentence, whether or not such punishment or sentence is probationally suspended.

## Intelligenceman Training Enriched

The Intelligenceman rate training group assigned to ORTUPS (O) 05-82401 (I), Washington, D.C., has supplemented their regular program by participating in the Law Enforcement Institute offered by the University of Maryland in cooperation with the Police Departments of Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia. The following Reservists were awarded certificates at the end of the 1966-67 academic year: IXC R. D. Brennan Jr., IXC C. R. Keys, PSCIX E. T. Hill, IXC R. A. Matthews, PSCIX N. J. Woodward, and LTJG E. E. Tyson, Curriculum Officer-Intelligence. As members of the Metropolitan Police Department, U.S. Park Police, and U.S. Treasury Agents in their civilian occupations, these Reservists maintain special skills utilized in the Coast Guard Intelligence and Law Enforcement work.





## THE ADMIRAL'S CORNER

This time I want to discuss with you what we call the Coast Guard Academy Fund.

The United States Coast Guard Academy, as one of the service academies, is supported by funds appropriated to the Coast Guard by the Congress. Essential funds for the operation of the Academy are adequate; however, there are certain highly desirable projects at the Academy for which appropriated funds may not be used or which are necessarily low in priority for the use of appropriated funds.

Congress has wisely provided a means by which individuals, corporations or foundations may provide funds for these projects. Title 10, U. S. Code, Section 2061 and the implementing regulations in 33 CFR Part 17 establish the Fund as a legal entity. Contributions to the Coast Guard Academy are tax deductible.

The Coast Guard Academy Alumni Association underwrites operating expenses of the Fund so that 100% of all donations are applied to the projects undertaken by the Fund.

Examples of projects currently proposed are:

a. Replacement of the Coast Guard Memorial Chapel Organ—\$120,000.

b. Acquisition of four Luders Yawls to supplement the Academy sail training fleet—\$240,000.

c. Acquisition and development of a Cadet Recreation Area—\$500,000.

d. Acquisition and construction of an outdoor Academy Amphitheater—\$460,000.

e. An Academy Ice Hockey and Skating Rink—\$650,000.

There are many less expensive projects, for which unrestricted donations of cash or securities, or bequests of monies to the Coast Guard Academy Fund may be used.

If you are interested in the Coast Guard Academy Fund and the Coast Guard Academy; if you would like to help in our mission to enrich the training of future officers of the Coast Guard, call or write:

## Changes Of Address Must Be Sent To The Command Holding Your Official Records

Whenever you move or change your mailing address, you are required to notify the holder of your official Coast Guard records of your new address.

Report address changes as follows:

- (a) If affiliated with a unit, send your change of address to (1) district commander holding your records via (2) the commanding officers of your unit.
- (b) If not a member of a unit, send your change of address to the district commander holding your records.

A temporary change of residence does not require a transfer of records. However, if you have a temporary residence but mail cannot be delivered promptly, you should notify the holder of your records of your address at the beginning and end of your temporary residence.

Notification should be made through the use of a United States Post Office change of address packet.

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1954, then as assistant to the Director of the Reserve, Third Coast Guard District, until September 1956. After next completing a tour of duty as Assistant Director of Reserve, Fifth Coast Guard District, Norfolk, Virginia, in July 1958, he became Chief, Regulations Branch, Reserve Division, at Coast Headquarters in Washington, D.C. While serving in that capacity he reached the rank of commander as of 11 June 1959.

With the reorganization of the Coast Guard Reserve establishment in April 1963, Captain Garner was reassigned to the post of Chief, Reserve Administration Division, Office of Reserve, at Coast Guard Headquarters. He was transferred to Portsmouth, Virginia, as Chief, Reserve Division, Fifth Coast Guard District in August 1963, serving there in that capacity until reporting to New York as Chief, Reserve Division, Third Coast Guard District in July 1965.

Captain Garner's World War II campaign service medals and ribbons include the following: American Area, American Defense, European-African-Middle Eastern Area, Asiatic-Pacific Area, World War II Victory. He also has a Navy Commendation letter for rescue work involving the SS HENRY BERG in 1944. More recently is his Armed Forces Reserve Medal with hour-glass (representing completion of 20 years' service). In addition, he has a Commendation Letter from the Com-

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mander, Eighth Coast Guard District, New Orleans, for boarding and safety work he performed in 1953.

The following is a resume of appointments in the ranks of commissioned officers: Ensign, 22 May 1942; Lieutenant (jg), 31 December 1942; Lieutenant, 1 January 1944; Lieutenant Commander, 26 August 1952; Commander, 11 June 1959; Captain 1 July 1965.

Captain Garner's wife is the former Frances Louise Smith of Houston, Texas. They have two sons, George and Allan.

Captain Garner has been active in civic and community affairs. In addition to being a student of marine history and architecture relating to sailing vessels, Captain Garner is an accomplished marine artist specializing in sail vessels of all ages. One of his notable works is a painting of the first Coast Guard Cutter MASSACHUSETTS which was built in 1790.



*RADM M. W. Stoffle inspects the Coast Guard Honor Guard and Band during the Honor Ceremony held at U.S. Coast Guard Base Alameda. An inspection of the Coast Guard Reserve Training Unit at Base Alameda followed the ceremony.*



# APPLICATION FOR ACDUTRA REVISED

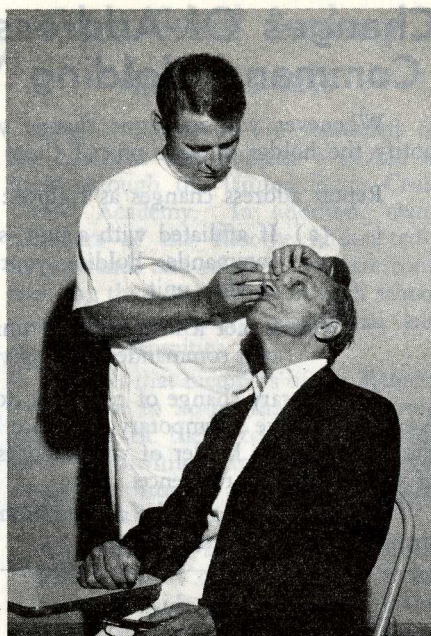
The revised application for active duty training, Form CG-3453 (3-67), now serves the additional purpose of replacing BAQ validation, Form CG-4170A. Previously CG-3453 had served only as a request for a specified date and type of active duty for training, with sufficient background information to permit evaluation of the request and authorization to issue orders without further reference to an individual's service record.

If a current Application for BAQ, Form CG-4170 is on file, the Reservist need only submit a completed Form CG-3453 (3-67) on which he certifies that there has been no change in dependency status. However, if there has been a change since the last Form CG-4170 was filed, the appropriate section should be checked on Form CG-3453 and a new Form CG-4170 should accompany it. The statement on the active duty for training orders as to dependency status will then be based on the approved Form CG-4170 and the certification contained in Form CG-3453 (3-67) or a newly submitted Form CG-4170.

## DANGEROUS CARGO REGULATIONS COURSE ANNOUNCED

A programmed text has been prepared by the Office of Reserve at Coast Guard Headquarters for use as a correspondence course. The purpose of the publication is to teach the reader how to use the dangerous cargo regulations contained in Title 46, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 146-149. It is designed for both Regular and Reserve officers and petty officers who are involved with Port Security or assigned to an ORTUPS.

The course offers three easy lessons designed to familiarize the reader with the organization of the three main sections which are the dangerous cargo regulations. Its approach is unique, for each lesson is followed by a series of questions and answers presented in a programmed learning format. The course and the end-of-course examination are distributed by the Coast Guard Institute, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.



*Hospitalman second class Gordon Kolberg of ORTUAG 11-83741, San Diego, California, administers a local eye anesthetic to Carl Garris, an art instructor at Kearny High School. Petty Officer Kolberg assisted volunteer physicians at the Glaucoma Day Clinic which offers free eye tests for San Diego County residents. Petty Officer Kolberg is president of the local dispensing optician's society. ORTUAG 11-83741, commanded by LCDR Avery P. Harrison, is unique in that it gives its corpsmen training year-round at a military hospital.*

## 18 COMMANDERS SELECTED FOR PROMOTION

Coast Guard Headquarters has announced the selection of 18 inactive duty Reserve Commanders for promotion to Captain. The number selected was based on forecasted vacancies. Promotions will be made as vacancies occur. Since a "hump" still exists in the grade of Captain, only a limited number of Commanders fully qualified for promotion were selected from a list of approximately 190 Commanders in the zone of promotion. Whenever there are more officers in a zone of promotion than there are vacancies, the law provides that the board shall consider the eligible officers in order of their relative seniority, and when the number of officers found to be qualified equals the number of vacancies, the board shall not

consider any officer junior to the last officer found to be qualified. Any such junior officers are not considered to have failed of selection and their names will be submitted to the next selection board to be convened. Here are the selectees:

ROBINSON, Howard C.	36729
MOORE, Lloyd E. Jr.	36740
WRIGHT, David W.	36771
MARZOLLA, Anthony	36801
IFFERT, Herbert C.	36869
McELLIGOTT, Vincent P.	36871
FAHEY, Donald E.	36913
STEVENS, James S.	36925
LYNCH, Harold F.	45030
O'BRIEN, Allan J.	36944
SHARPE, Lewis D.	36973
KAVANAUGH, Matthew J.	37011
KIRKLAND, Stuart H.	37061
JOHNSON, John M.	37125
ELLMAN, Victor A.	37177
DAVIS, Frank B.	37186
SKARET, Morest L.	37250
CLARK, Admont G.	37283

## Standard Inspection List Developed

A standard Reserve unit inspection check-off list has been prepared as a basis for future unit inspections. Each major inspection item is given a weighted numerical value. The total of these values ranks each unit within a district as excellent, above average, average, or below average. The numerical point at which a unit should be graded as unsatisfactory is at the discretion of the district commander. Previously each district had used its own form of inspection list. The new standard inspection lists have been distributed to the district offices and are available there.

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